

# THE AMADOR LEDGER

Established November 1, 1855.

JACKSON, AMADOR COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, FRIDAY, AUGUST 18, 1905.

Five Cents Per Copy.

**LAWYERS.**  
**TABOR & TABOR**  
—Attorneys at Law—  
Stoll Building, SACRAMENTO, CAL.  
Special attention given to applications for United States Mineral Patents and Land and Mining litigation.

**J. W. CALDWELL**  
—Attorney-at-Law—  
JACKSON, CAL.  
Will practice in all courts of the State

**NURSING.**  
**MISS JENNIE POSTLE**  
—TRAINED NURSE—  
Anthony Residence, Hamilton tract.  
JACKSON, CAL.  
Phone 525.

**DOCTORS.**  
**DR. P. S. GOODMAN**  
Physician and Surgeon  
SUTTER CREEK, CAL.  
Diseases of women and children a specialty.  
Office hours—12 to 2 p. m.; 7 to 9 p. m.

**DR. T. D. M. QUINN**  
Physician and Surgeon  
AMADOR CITY, CAL.  
Office hours—2 to 4 and 7 to 8 p. m. Telephone at residence.

**DR. A. PARKER LEWIS**  
Physician and Surgeon  
SUTTER CREEK.  
Office—Werner Building.

**E. ENDICOTT, M. D.**  
Physician and Surgeon  
JACKSON, CAL.  
Office: Webb building. All calls promptly attended to at all times

**DR. E. V. TIFFANY**  
Physician and Surgeon  
PLYMOUTH, CAL.  
OFFICE—Forrest House. Hours—8 to 9 a. m., and 1 to 2 and 7 to 8 p. m.  
Telephone Main 41.

**DR. L. E. PHILLIPS**  
Physician and Surgeon  
JACKSON, CAL.  
OFFICE—Well & Renno Building. Residence, north Main street, opposite California Hotel.  
Telephone No. 401.

**DR. A. M. GALL**  
Physician and Surgeon  
JACKSON, CAL.  
Office in Marella building, Main Street

**DR. H. N. FREIMAN**  
Physician and Surgeon  
SUTTER CREEK, CAL.  
Office hours—12 to 2 and 7 to 8:30 p. m.

**DR. J. H. O'CONNOR**  
Physician and Surgeon  
Formerly of Roosevelt Hospital and Vanderbilt Clinic, New York City.  
Office and residence opposite the Methodist Church.  
SUTTER CREEK, CAL.

**A. P. GRIFFIN,**  
Physician and Surgeon.  
JACKSON, CAL.  
Office—Corner Court and Church streets.  
Phone No 515. Calls promptly answered.

**DENTISTS.**  
**DR. C. A. HERRICK**  
—DENTIST—  
JACKSON, CAL.  
Office in Kay building. Hours from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

**DR. JOHN A. DELUCCHI**  
—DENTIST—  
SUTTER CREEK, CAL.

OFFICE HOURS:—From 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

**A. Malatesta**  
.....BAKERY.....  
SUTTER CREEK, CAL.  
BEST—FAMILY—GROCERIES

French and American Bread, Pies, Cakes, Cookies, etc.  
Wagon visits Jackson on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of each week.

**College of Notre Dame**  
MARYSVILLE, CALIFORNIA.

Boarding and Day School conducted by the Sisters of Notre Dame (Nunary). Founded in 1856  
The curriculum embraces all the branches of a solid English education. Preparatory and advanced courses in art, language and music.

For further information address  
SISTER SUPERIOR.

Artistic Photos  
in all sizes  
Groups and  
Mining Views

**McMillan**  
PHOTOGRAPHER  
Stamp Photos, Button jewelry, etc., a specialty. Terms reasonable.  
JACKSON - CAL.

**Aunt Chloe and the Dinner.**  
Mrs. McJarvis had invited a number of friends to dinner, but the cook left her on the morning of the appointed day without a moment's notice, says the Chicago Tribune.

In this emergency she hunted up an old friend of the family, Aunt Chloe, wife of Uncle Ephraim, and asked her to take the cook's place.

"I'll cook de dinner, missis," said Aunt Chloe, "if you'll give me wot's left."

Mrs. McJarvis agreed, and within a few hours the dinner was well under way.

Later in the day she visited the kitchen.

"Why, Aunt Chloe," she said, "I have only five persons to entertain, and you are cooking everything there is in the house! What is that?"

"I want to make sho', missis," said auntie, "dat dere'll be sum'n left."

**London's First Omnibus.**

The first London omnibus was really much more gorgeous than its successor of today. It was an imposing vehicle, beautifully decorated and painted, with accommodation for twenty-two passengers inside, and was drawn by three handsome bays, driven by a smart coachman in livery, and its conductor was gay in a blue cloth uniform, like a midshipman. This conductor, by the way, was the son of a naval captain and spoke French so well that it was quite common for the poked bonneted young ladies from Paddington to ride as far as the city and back with the object of improving their French by chatting with him. The fare from the Yorkshire Stingo, at Paddington, to the Bank was a shilling, half-way, sixpence, and newspapers and books were provided for the passengers.—London Globe.

**Care of Harness.**

Take the harness to a room where you can unbuckle it and separate the parts completely. Wash each part well in lukewarm water to which has been added a little potash. Scrub well with a brush until all the grease and dust have been removed. Work the pieces well under the hand until they become supple. It won't do to oil until it becomes so. Let the parts dry in a place where they will do so slowly. When just moist, oil. For this purpose use cod liver oil. It is the best for the purpose. Besides, if you were to use neat-foot the rats and mice are your enemies at once, while they will not touch a harness oiled with cod liver oil. Give a good dose of oil to all parts, then hang up to dry. When dry, rub well with a soft rag.

**A Russian Sentry.**

In 1859 the Russian emperor saw a soldier in the middle of a grass plot in the palace grounds. Why was there a daily guard, relieved at stated intervals? No one knew. Curiosity was aroused, and at last a veteran was discovered who remembered hearing his father say that the Empress Catherine—she died in 1727—once saw a snow-draped in bloom at that point unusually early and asked that a guard be stationed there to protect it. And there a sentinel remained for at least 132 years; no one knew how much longer.

**For Sore Throat.**

Those subject to sore throat will find the following preparation simple, cheap and highly efficacious when used in the early stage: Pour a pint of boiling water on thirty leaves of the common sage and let the infusion stand for an hour; add vinegar sufficient to make it pleasantly acid and honey to taste. The mixture should be used as a gargle twice a day. There is no danger if some of it is swallowed.

**Disappointment on Both Sides.**

"You said the house was only five minutes' walk from the station," complained the victim. "To say the least, I'm disappointed in you."

"And I'm disappointed in you," replied the agent. "I thought you were a very rapid walker."—Philadelphia Press.

**Mixed.**

Casey—"Tis hard luck about Kearney. O! hear he had to have his leg cut off because the ankle 'n' the knee. Cassidy—Ay, the doctors decided that to save the whole leg they'd have to cut off part of it.—Philadelphia Press.

**Insulted His Legs.**

Apocryphal of knee breeches a correspondent of the London Express quotes an anecdote from Captain Gronow's "Recollections" which puts the whole case in a nutshell. The ballie de ferrette was always dressed in knee breeches, with a cocked hat and a court sword, the slender proportions of which greatly resembled those of his legs. "Do tell me, my dear ballie," said Montrond one day, "have you cut three legs or three swords?" Soon after which, we should imagine, the ballie went home.

**OUR TASTE**

Cut from corn fed pork. Requires just 100 days to cure an "Our Taste" Ham

Small of bone, sweet, tender and juicy. You can taste Eastern corn in every slice. No waste—economical.

Hall, Luhrs & Co.  
Wholesale Grocers  
Sacramento

## Of Interest to Women

Edited by Gaily

Crep paper hats have been quite the rage in the east this season. The paper used is the ordinary crinkled paper used for lamp shades, etc. The variety of delicate colors make it possible to have hats to match every shade of costume. Pale green, pale blue, and primrose are among the prettiest shades, and ivy-green also makes up very effectively. Black paper may also be obtained, while mauve trimmed with lilac or violet is quite the thing. Two rolls of paper are sufficient for the ordinary sized hat. The paper must be cut in strips in the direction in which the crinkling runs. These strips are pasted together and plaited, then the plaited strips are sewed to a hat frame so that each plaited row overlapped slightly the one sewed on before it—as a straw hat. Bows or flowers can then be made of the paper with which to trim the hat.

A millionaire philanthropist, whose name is withheld for the present, is to endow a college for women in California. A site in Riverside has been secured, and the college will be to the west what Wellesley, Smith and Vassar are to the east. It is stated that the endowment will be \$1,000,000.

Two women miners have made a strike in lower Holcombe valley, near San Bernardino. They are Mrs. Genevieve Northrup and Mrs. D. B. Northrup. Nuggets enough to fill a teacup were picked up. It has created considerable excitement.

Vegetarians are much interested in the taro plant of Hawaiian Islands. It is a vegetable that grows in the ground like our beets and potatoes, and is said to digest itself. It is more to the natives than rice to the orientals, and they depend on it far more than we do on wheat and other cereals. In fact, it is their chief article of diet at every meal, and in some parts of the islands the only food.

From their earliest infancy Hawaiian babies eat all they want of the porridge made from this vegetable, and the Hawaiian race is spoken of as the "perfect race." Poi—the porridge made from this taro plant—never produces nausea, and will stay down when other foods are quickly repelled owing to its peculiar digestive qualities. Therefore it is a wonderful specific in seasickness. An effort is being made to introduce the cultivation of the plant in this country. It looks something like a sweet potato when growing, and the ground has to be systematically flooded, as our rice fields are flooded in the south.

America did much for Mrs. Wu Ting Fang, wife of the former Chinese minister to this country. When she came to the United States, her feet were tightly bound, as is the Chinese custom. But she has recently had them unbound, and has undergone a peculiar surgical operation to enable her to walk. The operation has been successful, and Mrs. Wu's feet are restored to their normal state.

It is believed now, since Mrs. Wu has taken the initiative that thousands of high caste Chinese women will be applying to American hospitals to get their feet undone.

A tablecloth may be made to do service even after unsightly spots disfigure its dainty appearance. Simply rub a piece of chalk over the spots, thereby concealing them. If the spots are of grease the chalk absorbs them, so that when the cloth at last goes to the laundry it is impossible to tell where they were.

**Lower State Tax.**

Taxpayers, says the San Jose Herald, will be pleased to learn that in the opinion of a member of the state board of equalization, who desires his name withheld, the state tax rate this year will be under 50 cents on each \$100 worth of taxable property.

Last year the state tax rate was fixed at 53½ cents. The present indication is that the property in the entire state has been increased by over \$100,000,000. The exact figures, however, cannot be given until the reports are received from all the counties in the state.

It is believed that the new law exempting from taxation all personal property will have the effect of reducing the tax roll, but increase in other directions will raise the roll, in the opinion of the member quoted, by \$100,000,000.

**A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.**

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Druggists refund money if Pazo Ointment fails to cure any case, no matter of how long standing, in 6 to 14 days. First application gives ease and rest. 50c. If your druggist hasn't it send 50c in stamps and it will be forwarded post paid by Paris Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo.

Ledger & Chicago Inter-Ocean, \$2.50

## Nuggets from the "Mother Lode"

By GERTRUDE ANDREWS

Did you ever play tramp? If you have not I would advise you to try it some day. It will take more years off one's age than can all the hair dyes or other outside youth restorers in Christendom.

For we grow old from the inside.

We grow old for the want of new things to think about. We grow old for want of new interests to excite our feelings. We grow old because we trudge the same routine paths day after day. We get ruts in our faces just like the ones in which we travel.

The folks who travel the worry paths get two big worry ruts each side the face, from the nose to the chin. The ones who travel the fretful, martyr paths, get martyr ruts across the forehead. The worry woman and the martyr woman are old at thirty. I say "woman" because I am writing this for women, and no one can feel a greater sympathy for the worry woman than I.

It is a monotonous thing to get three meals three hundred and sixty five days of the year. It is a more monotonous thing to have to wash up the dishes for all those meals. A woman must have a whole lot of love to perform cheerfully the many tasks of her home, and without getting wrinkles.

We read big newspaper stories of heroes. Poems are written to their praise, and monuments erected to their everlasting glory. But, after all, there are more heroic deeds performed every day, in thousands of quiet homes, than are many of these more exploited triumphs. It is the every day heroism—the heroism that no monuments are erected, that gives to the world the greatest values. It is the heroism of the wife and mother in her daily round of duty that has built up the real power of nations.

But the mother owes it to herself and her children to get out of these daily ruts once in a while—to get new things to think about. She cannot afford to starve her mind and soul while she is working her body. For it is this poverty stricken soul that looks out through fretful eyes, and sounds in a nervous, fretful voice.

When you hear that tone in your voice, or note that look in your eyes say to yourself:

"I must give my soul some attention."

Then go and take a tramp. Then go to the great mother nature and be fed. Read James Whitcomb Riley's poem which he calls "A Summer's Day."

"The Summer's put the icky in my head that I'm a boy again; And all around's so bright and gay I want to put my team away, And jest get out where I can lay And soak my hide full of the day!"

We took such a tramp last Sunday.

It does not have just the same effect to drive for that does not give the same freedom. One does not want to be hampered in any way, but wants to feel that he can go any place where he sees something of interest. He wants to feel himself a child again, and forget his years; and it is in childhood that we must enjoy the use of all our muscles. We must not carry the fretful thoughts with us, but just drop every responsibility and start out, without any rule, to find new things of interest in the world.

Last Saturday evening we planned our party, and selected the Indian

## Fairy Tales Retold.

The immense amount of present day nature study to the contrary notwithstanding, there is to be met with in nine cases out of ten, an amazing ignorance of animal life. By this is meant an ignorance of every-day facts about every-day beasts—about moles and bats and tadpoles and guinea-pigs, for instance—an ignorance, moreover based almost wholly upon old beliefs, unwise saws, or even arrant superstition.

How many small citizens of this land of common schools and university extension courses, and how many larger ones, too, firmly believe that guinea-pigs came once upon a time from faroff Guinea? that the tadpole sheds his tail? that bats love above all things else to entangle themselves in one's hair? that moles are blind?

Yet not one of these things is true. Squeaky miss guinea-pig no more came from the French or Portuguese colonies of that name than Mr. Norway rat came across the seas with other Norse immigrants. The tadpole's tail does not drop off, it develops with time into a proper part of his more mature body. If panicky bat gets into your hair, he is as distressed about it as you are yourself; and it is the vilest of libels upon an eccentric but harmless beast which declares that a bat's body is the invariable abiding place for vermin in general and for bedbugs in particular.

As for the mole, he has the usual complement of eyes, and exceedingly bright and clever ones; but thought-

Reservation as our objective point; and Sunday morning at eight o'clock we started forth. We were dressed comfortably, for the tramp never wants to feel that he must be careful of his clothes. We took a lunch of sandwiches and cookies in a box that was very easy to carry, and our friends watched us start from the hotel.

Just one bit of advise I want to give the would-be tramp—never believe any one who tells you the distance to a place. Find it out for yourself. The distance from the Jackson post office to the Indian Reservation was measured for us by ten different people, and their different information ran anywhere from two miles to seven. It is really just four miles. Mr. Voorheis, who is a generous sort of individual, made it seven. But this diversity of information fired our Columbus determination to discover ourselves.

The walk in the cool of the morning was delightful, and we kept pretty close to the path until we reached the Moon ranch, or just this side of there. Their one of us discovered what appeared to be a stone monument in a field up on a side hill, whereupon we all climbed through a barbed wire fence to satisfy our curiosity.

The stone proved to be a monument in its way—a monument to the indifference of time—for it was an old sun dial, which some one had evidently built long years ago. We rested about it for a while, and tried to imagine what the people were like who had measured their lives by the sun's track on its face. Our philosopher said that it had probably timed sorrows and joys, births and deaths, and I wondered if it had not time some jubilant gold strike, I hoped so. The people who watched it have gone, but time plods on just the same, marking its daily progress on the face of the old dial.

Mrs. Moon gave us a pleasant welcome, and a good drink of water from her well. She told us also some of her pioneer experiences. Her old home made an appropriate background for her hospitality, and its wide porch gave us the same kindly welcome, Mrs. Moon and this old home have watched the fight of many of those years which have shone across the old sun dial—years in which California has grown to the proud state that it is.

At the Fleming ranch we stopped a few moments to listen to a modern phonograph, and that too suggested lots of thoughts. A band concert that might have entertained some enthusiastic New York audience was now repeating itself away out here in Amador county for the pleasure of busy folks taking their Sunday rest. We leaned up against the fence and enjoyed it too, before we branched off to the more picturesque road that leads to the reservation.

Mr. Grist has lived among the Indians for so long that he has acquired their same soft tones of voice. And what a relief it is after the strident, nervous voices of our strenuous life! That reservation is about the best cure I have seen for many moans.

Mr. Grist met us with that soothing good will in his voice that can only be acquired in the quiet places, away from the madding crowd, and invited us to seats on his porch. To any one who has fallen into all the wastes of nervousness, I recommend one hour on that porch of the Indian commis-

sioner's little home. It is as neat as water and a broom can make it, as is the whole house. And Mr. Grist is keeping bachelor's hall now, too; for his daughter, who is his home maker, has gone away on a visit.

An immense maple tree shades the porch, and in the air is the fragrance of flowers and the songs of birds.

There is always something hospitable in an old porch, and this one at the Indian commissioner's is particularly suggestive. It shows how things have changed. Not so awfully many years ago our ancestors were building block houses and stockades to protect themselves against the Indians. Now they can build hospitable porches. Defiance has given away to invitation. An old porch is like the first hand clasp in the meeting of friends.

It was on this porch that we finally ate our lunch with Mr. Grist for company. He brought a pail of cold water from that beautiful spring, and we ate and talked. He told us some thing about his work among the Indians. I have always been prejudiced against Indian commissioners but I know that these Indians have a friend in Mr. Grist, I am sure of it because of my knowledge of human nature. Only kindly men have a voice and eyes like his.

After lunch Mr. Andrews and Mr. Sinclair had a smoke, and we just basked in the soothing influence of that porch.

Then Mr. Grist showed us the gardens where the Indian women are doing just what the white women in Jackson are doing in their flower-beds—expressing their wife and motherhood thoughtfulness, though in peas, beans, corn and fruit. Sadie, whose voice was soft as music was nursing her baby under a tree, and watching her apples dry in the sun. Five more of her children stood near her, and it was a pleasure to hear her speak to them. Many another mother, in civilization with harsh, imitating voice might take a lesson from her.

It was a fascinating place to stay, but we had made up our mind to walk home by way of the Experimental station. Mr. Grist acted a guide, taking us through another picturesque road, and leaving us within half a mile of the station. And then followed a novel experience. We just found ourselves in a garden of Eden, where no fruit tree seemed to be forbidden.

An Italian who could speak very little English, but who could smile in many languages, acted as the tempter, and urged us to eat. He led us to grape vines, to fig trees and brought us peaches and plums, now repeating itself away out here in Amador county for the pleasure of busy folks taking their Sunday rest. We leaned up against the fence and enjoyed it too, before we branched off to the more picturesque road that leads to the reservation.

Mr. Grist has lived among the Indians for so long that he has acquired their same soft tones of voice. And what a relief it is after the strident, nervous voices of our strenuous life! That reservation is about the best cure I have seen for many moans.

Mr. Grist met us with that soothing good will in his voice that can only be acquired in the quiet places, away from the madding crowd, and invited us to seats on his porch. To any one who has fallen into all the wastes of nervousness, I recommend one hour on that porch of the Indian commis-

sioner's little home. It is as neat as water and a broom can make it, as is the whole house. And Mr. Grist is keeping bachelor's hall now, too; for his daughter, who is his home maker, has gone away on a visit.

An immense maple tree shades the porch, and in the air is the fragrance of flowers and the songs of birds.

There is always something hospitable in an old porch, and this one at the Indian commissioner's is particularly suggestive. It shows how things have changed. Not so awfully many years ago our ancestors were building block houses and stockades to protect themselves against the Indians. Now they can build hospitable porches. Defiance has given away to invitation. An old porch is like the first hand clasp in the meeting of friends.

It was on this porch that we finally ate our lunch with Mr. Grist for company. He brought a pail of cold water from that beautiful spring, and we ate and talked. He told us some thing about his work among the Indians. I have always been prejudiced against Indian commissioners but I know that these Indians have a friend in Mr. Grist, I am sure of it because of my knowledge of human nature. Only kindly men have a voice and eyes like his.

After lunch Mr. Andrews and Mr. Sinclair had a smoke, and we just basked in the soothing influence of that porch.

Then Mr. Grist showed us the gardens where the Indian women are doing just what the white women in Jackson are doing in their flower-beds—expressing their wife and motherhood thoughtfulness, though in peas, beans, corn and fruit. Sadie, whose voice was soft as music was nursing her baby under a tree, and watching her apples dry in the sun. Five more of her children stood near her, and it was a pleasure to hear her speak to them. Many another mother, in civilization with harsh, imitating voice might take a lesson from her.

Equally fictitious is the venerable tradition, which heraldry itself has discouraged, that the pelican feeds her young with blood from her own maternal breast. The youngsters of the pelican family are brought up on hash, as are the small cranes and herons, the tibbits coming out of that refrigerating pouch arrangement with which the mother has been fitted. It is a fact, however, that the old bird holds the fish against her breast in feeding her young, and the crimson bill does indeed appear like a blood spot on the snowy feathers. Hence the story.

In all the instances of too easy credibility mentioned, there at least have been the animals themselves existent to give some slight color to the fairy tales; but there are plenty of good people who still stoutly believe in weird creations which have never had any other foundation in fact than the imaginations of travelers and romancers. The hoop-snake is a case in point, a reptile which takes his tail into his mouth and rolls himself along with astonishing swiftness, eventually striking the prey he has pursued with a whip-like blow of that same most useful tail, suddenly released from between the jaws.

And there is the basilisk or cockatrice, from which fabled monster the town of Balse, Switzerland, takes its name—a strange mixture of bird and serpent, able to slay with both his foul breath and his deadly sight. Said

**A RICH FIND**

**DEMAND THE BRAND**

to be hatched by a serpent out of a cock's egg, its head and shoulders were represented as those of a common barn yard rooster, with the vipers tail, and of course no feet. The best way to kill these gentle creatures, according to old Toppell, of "The Historie of Serpents" fame, was to go among them wearing mirrors all over one's body "whereby their own shapes are reflected upon their own faces, and so they die."

There is a homely old fable which falls apropos of all of this. A New Hampshire version of it runs that a skunk and a rattlesnake one day met each other, and stopped to swap news and gossip. "I heard a horrid story about you the other night," remarked the serpent.

"Huh," was the skunk's reply. "I dare say I've heard it myself—I've heard enough of them anyhow. I'm tired of being painted worse than I am. I intend at the next general convention of the beasts to introduce a motion that all persons found guilty telling lies about any of us shall be attacked and killed. Will you support me?"

"In a minute!" cried the rattler. "The truth is bad enough without adding falsehood to it."

**Mutilations.**  
That mutilation should ever have been adopted as a penalty by the Christian church one finds it difficult to believe, yet the ecclesiastical authorities inflicted it for comparatively trivial offenses, and several councils emphatically attempted to suppress it. Thus the thirteenth canon of the council of Merida, in 680, deprived bishops and priests of the right of mutilating the servants of the church. The sixth canon of the council of Toledo, in 675, while forbidding bishops to exercise exclusive jurisdiction in offenses involving the capital penalty, also interdicted them from ordering mutilation of the limbs, even in the case of their own serfs, and ordained that bishops violating this law should be deposed, excommunicated and denied the last rites of the church when in articulo mortis. The eighteenth canon of the council of Frankfurt, in 794, forbade abbots to blind or mutilate their monks whatever might be the offense.—Pearson's Weekly.

**The Fishing Frog.**  
The fishing frog buries himself in the mud and lies partly concealed in weeds, where, with his huge mouth open, he fishes for his dinner. On the back of his head there are three spines, the longest of which he bends forward in front of his mouth, gently swaying it in the water. At last it attracts a young fish, which makes a spring for the supposed worm, when—snap—the mouth is closed and Mr. Fishing Frog has had his dinner. The arched fish catches his dinner in quite a different way. Just out of his reach on the leaf of a plant growing on the river's brink rests a fly, basking in the sunlight. Suddenly a little stream of water strikes it; it loses its balance and falls, only to be caught by the cunning little archer below.—Field and Stream.

**All Settled.**  
"You're wasting a lot of time and money trying to capture that widow." "Why? Don't you think she'll marry me?" "Sure. She told me the night she met you that she was going to."

**A. H. KUHLMAN**  
Contractor and Builder  
Will do work in any part of Amador County. If you want to build, send a note to Jackson Postoffice and I will call on you. Estimates furnished without cost on any kind of building. Will make plans and specifications for you.

**Union House**  
Jackson.  
Amador Co.  
Meals to Order at all Hours

**WE CURE MEN**  
Suffering from diseases such as physical and mental decay, Varicocle, Stricture, Piles, Blood Diseases, Prostatic Disease, Contracted Disorders, Loss of Vital Power, Kidney and Bladder Troubles, Lost Manhood, Mucus Drains, Etc.  
We have the most modern, rational and perfect method of treatment for the quick and permanent cure of all newly contracted, nervous and chronic disorders of men and guarantee a cure in every case undertaken or no charge. We are permanently located in Stockton.

**WEAK MEN**  
When others fail, we cure. There is no better equipped medical institution anywhere, and the services we render afflicted men are as superior as our facilities are complete.  
**CONSULTATION FREE**  
Call or write for Guide to Health, (illustrated) free (sealed). All letters strictly confidential. Our references are the business men of Stockton and the hundreds of cured patients.  
Patients coming to Stockton for treatment, should come direct to our office on arrival.  
**Dr. Freshman & Co.**  
Cor. Main and Calif. Sts., STOCKTON

**Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge**  
gives rosy cheeks and active health to pale, sickly children. And it is good for their elders, too. Ask your druggist for it.



## THE AMADOR LEDGER

Published Fridays by  
Amador County Publishing Co.SUBSCRIPTION RATES:  
One year (in advance) \$3.00  
Six months (in advance) 1.50  
Three months (in advance) .75  
One or more copies, each .50Legal advertising—per sq.—1st insertion. \$1.00  
Subsequent insertions—per square—each. .50ENTERED AT THE POSTOFFICE AT JACKSON AS  
SECOND-CLASS MATTER.

R. WEBB Editor and Manager

THIS PAPER DAKES Advertising Agency, 124 Sansone St., San Francisco, California, where contracts for advertising can be made for it.

FRIDAY.....AUGUST 18, 1905

## UTTERLY FALSE.

As much as the fact may wish to be concealed, the small taxpayers do pay the bulk of the taxes of the state, notwithstanding the distorted statement of some newspapers. A man with a home and a few improvements—say worth \$2,000—pays taxes on \$1,500. The man with property valued at \$45,000 pays in a large number of cases on but \$20,000 valuation. A man who can figure percentage at all can soon ascertain who pays the biggest per cent on what he owns. We have in mind one individual in this county who pays taxes on values to the amount of \$15,000, when it is positively known that such individual is possessed of at least \$45,000 of taxable property. A large number of citizens seem to agree that an assessment covering two-thirds of the valuation of property is fair, even if the law does say that property must be assessed at its full value. Tax dodging has always been practiced, and may be till the end of time for ought we know, but when one of these tax dodgers wants to be known as a criterion for all men to sing low to and bow down before, every time he opens his mouth to let out a little un wisdom, we say it is well to choke him with a few facts. This individual, whom the Record is charitable enough to withhold his name from print, is a great stickler as to what other men should do in the county, therefore a parade before the public of some of his shortcomings will, if he is not naturally an ass, do him good. The man who has property to the value of \$2,000 and is assessed for \$1,500 pays 75 per cent on his property. The other fellow with \$45,000 of property assessed at \$15,000 pays 33 1/3 per cent on his property. The small property holder therefore pays 41 2/3 per cent more than the large property holder. All the words in the English language will not change this fact.—Amador Record.

We take the above from the Amador Record, and reprint it in full, not because of any intrinsic merit attaching to the article; but simply because our readers may judge for themselves as to its character, and the spirit that prompts such ill-tempered and ill-digested stuff. It is needless to state that the Ledger is the county paper referred to, and the editor of the Ledger the individual taxpayer referred to by our cotemporary. As far as the weight of its opinion on any public question is concerned the sheet quoted from is not worthy of notice. It is not wise to waste ammunition on tomits. It is equally unwise to attempt to discuss a proposition with one who is devoid of the faculty of logical reasoning. When you run across a man who attempts to deny a simple mathematical proposition such for instance that 2 and 2 makes 4, no matter whether the denial is prompted by a moral or mental deformity, it is the proper course to leave him undisturbed in the gratification of his crudities. The Ledger two weeks ago published a list of the heaviest taxpayers in Amador county, those assessed for \$4000 and over. The list footed up more than three million dollars—considerably over one half the total assessment roll of Amador county. Commenting upon this fact, we editorially stated that, contrary to the general opinion, the large taxpayers not the small property holders, contributed the bulk of the revenue for the support of the state and county government in Amador county. To this self-evident truth our cotemporary takes exception, and contends that property owners assessed for far below one half the assessable property in the county contribute the bulk of the money to sustain the government. The question of whether the small taxpayer is assessed at a higher percentage of the actual value of his property than the large property holder was not under discussion at all and has nothing whatever to do with it. It was seemingly dragged in to afford a flimsy pretext for disputing an indisputable fact. We are perfectly content to let our readers figure out the comedy for themselves.

But there is a serious side to the above quoted article, when the writer pretends to come down to facts. The editor of the Ledger was in the published list of heavy taxpayers on an assessed valuation of \$15040. There is no other individual taxpayer in the entire list that comes any where near those figures. And the Amador Record lessees—who by the way are innocent of gracing the assessment roll in any sum whatever, large or small—make the assertion that this \$15000 property holder is worth at least \$45000 of taxable property—carrying the idea that he is assessed out of all proportion with other property owners. The statement is made that property as a rule is put in for two-thirds its real value, and that therefore this taxpayer is shirking to the extent of at least one-third of the value of his property. In other words, he ought to be assessed for \$30,000 instead of \$15,000 to place him on a basis of equality with other taxpayers.

Now we brand the statement a barefaced falsehood, deliberately and

maliciously made, and we unhesitatingly challenge the Record publishers to produce any facts in support of the same. The editor of the Ledger has nothing like the amount of property in Amador county credited to him by this scribbling villager. If the Sutter Creek scribe is aware of any property belonging to us that we do not know of ourself, we should be pleased to be enlightened on the subject, for if his statement is anywhere near correct we must be a good deal richer than we had any idea of. Putting the valuation of our holdings in this county at extreme figures, they fall materially short of \$30,000 all told. If this genius in the way of appraising property, or locator of unknown values, will produce a purchaser at the last named figures, we will be very pleased to sell out, at the same time throwing into the bargain several hundreds of dollars of property brought into the county since the first Monday in March last.

As for the assessment on property held by us, we venture the assertion, without fear of successful contradiction, that the propertyless man of the Record will find few, if any, taxpayers in Amador county whose assessment in proportion to the actual value of the real and personal property is placed at a higher figure than that of the Ledger's proprietor. We have no improved realty we have been offering to sell for years at less than the annual assessment thereon. We have income property more than one third of the gross revenue of which is eaten up yearly to meet the demands of the tax collector. Taking all our property within the limits of Amador together, and it requires the gross proceeds of six weeks' rentals to pay the yearly taxes. In other words, one-eighth of the gross income is swallowed up annually in meeting the exactions of the tax gatherer. The tithes of the Mormon church about which is much is said, are not in it in comparison with the cost of government in Amador, as far as our paid-up experience goes. If there is another individual in Amador county with anything like the same amount of property that is taxed to a greater or like extent, we would like to know it. The writer has made Amador county his home for over thirty years. He has paid property taxes every year from the time he first pressed the soil of Amador beneath his feet. We have paid more for the support of the government since we have been in this county than all the owners or lessees of the Record ever owned in this favored section of the state. As far as the assessment roll of this year is concerned the lessees of the Record are entirely innocent of any taxpaying experience. It is supremely disgusting to find such citizens prating about tax-shirking. It is this spirit of gratuitous abuse of those who have been successful in accumulating a little property that has driven and is still driving capitalists to withdraw from Amador and go elsewhere for investments. Had the spirit of encouragement, instead of discouragement, been shown, hundreds of thousands of dollars would have found a resting place within little Amador over and above her assessment roll to-day. And for this unfortunate condition of affairs, the county is indebted to the same spirit of envy and detestation exhibited in the baseless charge contained in the Record article herein quoted, coming as such diatribes usually do, from the class who pack their worldly goods in a carpet bag.

## AN IMPORTANT DECISION.

A very important decision was rendered last Saturday by Judge Rust, of the superior court of this county, in the case of J. Nickolaus vs. Ben Nickley. The suit arose out of the sale of property deeded to the state for delinquent taxes. The property is situated in the northern part of the county, and Nickley the former owner, allowed the taxes to accumulate for a number of years, until they amounted to a sum considered almost equal to the value of the land. It was deeded to the state after the expiration of the five years redemption period. It seems that some mineral discoveries were made upon the land which very much enhanced its prospective value. Nickolaus had the property advertised, following every minute detail of the requirement of law in so doing. At the public sale, he bid it in for the taxes and costs, and received the deed. Then Nickley, who had allowed the property to go to the state, appeared on the scene, and set up some claim to it. This necessitated a suit to quiet title on the part of Nickolaus as the intending purchaser did not care to run up against a law suit. The suit was brought; involving the validity of the deed given by the state to Nickolaus. Every point was made to defeat the tax title on technicalities, but the court has finally sustained the validity of the title held by the purchasers from the state. The written opinion of the court is not yet filed. It is possible the matter may be appealed to the supreme court, as we believe it is the first case of the kind that has been decided in this state under the present delinquent tax law.

## To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

## SCOTT'S EMULSION serves as a

bridge to carry the weakened and starved system along until it can find firm support in ordinary food.

Send for free sample.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409-415 Pearl Street, New York. S. C. and \$1.00; all druggists.

## SUPPORT

DeWITT'S  
WITCH HAZEL  
SALVETHE ORIGINAL.  
A Well Known Cure for Piles.

Cures obstinate sores, chapped hands, eczema, skin diseases. Makes burns and scalds painless. We could not improve the quality if paid double the price. The best salve that experience can produce or that money can buy.

## Cures Piles Permanently

DeWitt's is the original and only pure and genuine Witch Hazel Salve made. Look for the name DeWitt on every box. All others are counterfeit. PREPARED BY E. C. DeWITT & CO., CHICAGO.

---Sold by all Druggists---

## THE FREE SCHOLARSHIPS.

The contest for free scholarships in Stockton Business College, and \$100 for expenses while attending the six months' course, as offered by the Ledger in another column, has taken a decidedly lively turn the past week. People are beginning to appreciate the liberal nature of the Ledger's offer—a business course of six months in a leading college absolutely free of expense to the pupil for either tuition, board and lodging or books—the \$100 in cash being sufficient to cover all expenses. Francis Bryant of Jackson valley, a graduate of the grammar school, has jumped to the front at one bound, with 1400 votes. James Pengilly is not idle, and has added 400 to his score. Elmer Dicken of Jackson has been brought forward, with a starter of 250 votes. The vote now stands:

Francis Bryant, lone 1400 votes  
James Pengilly, jr. Sutter Ck, 700  
Lewis Love, Jackson 300  
William Grayne, Volcano 250  
Elmer Dicken, Jackson 250

## ORDER OF FORESTERS

## Givie Banquet To Guests.

The Ora F'ino Lodge of Jackson entertained two noted guests on Wednesday evening. They were Mrs. F. Castle of Stockton, and Mrs. J. Scheuern of Berkeley. The former is supreme grand chief companion of the Companions of the Forest—the women's auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Foresters—and the latter is sub chief companion.

These two women travel all over the United States and go to Honolulu in the interest of this order, and their visit here was an event of much importance to the Ora F'ino, the local lodge of that order.

The Ora F'inos prepared an elaborate program. Mrs. Joe Kay and Mrs. Kennedy gave readings, Miss Mounter and Miss Ratto sang a duet. The two Langdon brothers and Mr. Crocker sang a trio. Mr. Rule played a piano solo. Mr. Gregg sang, little Rosina Daugherty and Mildred Oliver sang in character, "Auld Lang Syne."

Both the visiting ladies made speeches, and Mrs. Scheuern gave a recitation.

In a little talk with Mrs. Castle at the National Hotel, she expressed herself as very proud of the Jackson lodge. It is one of the finest in the state, and Mrs. Castle says that no other lodge in the country can equal it in the finished manner in which it transacts its work. The officers discharge their duties with much dignity, and the drill team might take the prize in a contest with that of any other lodge of the order. Miss Tina Schroeder is the captain of this Team. Miss Wrigglesworth and Mrs. Oliver are its leaders, and the other members are—Miss Yola, Miss Beauchemin, Miss Bolitho, Miss Hicks, Miss Bastian and Mrs. Trevisakis.

The Ora F'inos initiated nine new members at this special meeting. After the program quite an elaborate banquet was served in honor of the guests.

The Ancient Order of Foresters is one of the oldest of the secret organizations. It was originated in England among the nobility, and was first known as the Royal Foresters. But the women auxiliary—Companions of the Forest—was organized by John Faulkner in California, and for that reason is particularly strong in this state.

Mrs. Castle and Mrs. Scheuern left Thursday afternoon for Sutter where they were to pay an official visit to the lodge in that city. They both expressed themselves as delighted with the hospitality of the Jackson ladies and are hoping to return here again before long.

## Soothing and Cooling.

The salve that heals without a scar is DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. No remedy effects such speedy relief. It draws out inflammation, soothes, cools and heals all cuts, burns and bruises. A sure cure for Piles and skin diseases. DeWitt's is the only genuine Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of counterfeits, they are dangerous. Sold at Boydston drug store.

J. R. Wilson, Dentist. Hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Phone Main 404. Jackson, Cal.

Pioneer Flour always has been and still is the best

J. W. CALDWELL, Attorney for Petitioner. au4-3t

## Notice of Assessment.

DEL MONTE MINING AND MILLING COMPANY.

Location of principal place of business, Jackson Amador County, California.

Location of works, Railroad Flat Mining District, Calaveras County, California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT a regular meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1905, an assessment of ten cents (10c) per share was levied upon the subscribed capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States coin to the Secretary of the said company, at his office in the Maelia building on Summit street, in Jackson, Amador county, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 20th day of August, 1905, will be declared delinquent, and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment be made before, will be sold on Monday, 25th day of September, 1905, to pay the delinquent assessment, with the cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of Board of Directors, JAS. J. WRIGHT, Secretary.

Office in the Maelia Building, on Summit street, Jackson, Amador county, California.

First Dose Relieves Stops Chills at Once Cures Malaria Ague, and Chills and Fever in three days. Gives an appetite. A powerful but harmless tonic. Price 75 cents. Francis S. Ott, Sacramento, Cal.

Sold by all Dealers

"DAY" MALARIA "CURE"

## SUPERIOR COURT.

HON. R. C. RUST, JUDGE.

Chas. Gibbert vs John Strohm et al.—Suit to quiet title to a parcel of land in Jackson, in rear of Enterprise stable. Judgment for plaintiff quieting title.

Estate of Chas. Retzlaff—G. M. Huberty appointed administrator. William Going, L. J. Fontenrose and E. Fisher appointed appraisers. Notice to creditors ordered published.

Estate of Chas. Blatzer—G. M. Huberty appointed administrator. Notice to creditors ordered published. M. Muldon, L. Glavinovich and Theodore Schwartz appointed appraisers.

Estate of Altie M. Barney—Petition for probate of will continued until August 19.

Estate of L. Winter—Decree of distribution granted, distributing estate to sole heir, Frederick Winter, deceased's father.

Estate of B. Isaacs—Hearing on petition for confirmation of sale of real estate; sale confirmed.

John Nikolaus vs Benj. Nickley—Judgment for plaintiff supporting the tax title. Plaintiff's counsel to prepare findings and decree.

Carlo E. vs Mario Dotta—Defendant granted 15 days from August 19 in which to plead.

## DOCUMENTS RECORDED.

[The following instruments have been filed for record in the recorder's office since our last report: We publish a complete list of documents recorded, and must decline to accede to any request to suppress any document from these columns. Don't ask us to do so.]

Deeds—Mrs. Emma Barney to John S. Gaffee, an undivided one-half interest in lands in 36-8-9, 810.

W. L. Tuill et ux to Charles N. Fessler, lot in Uenua Vista, \$10.

Lein—Amos Ball vs. M. A. Edson on Pension placer mine; amount claimed, \$71.25.

Location—Charles Jump et al locates the Trust Graphite lode of 20 acres in Volcano mining district.

Transcript of Judgment—Dufrene vs. Hughes.

Satisfaction of Mortgage—Moore vs. Prothro.

A Yosemite stage coach held up and the passengers robbed Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 15th, near Ahwanee, by a single highwayman. He was a young man but evidently green at the business. Anton Veith, Austrian consul at Milwaukee, also waited for the up stage and held that up, too.

William H. Belcher, ex-mayor of Paterson, N. J., is wanted in that city for embezzlement. He is thought to be a passenger on board the steamer Sonoma, which is due in Honolulu today.

John D. Rockefeller has already given away \$14,000,000 in 1905, and his receipts for the year will only be about \$16,000,000. He will have stob a little careful for the next four months or he'll only have a couple of million left to live on.

## BORN.

TRENBATH—In Sutter Creek, August 6, 1905, to the wife of Richard Trenbath, a son.

## DIED.

FROELICH—At Napa, August 15, 1905, Julius F. Froelich, a native of Amador county, aged 50 years 5 months and 14 days.

SMITH—In the Amador county hospital, August 18, 1905, Mary Smith, a native of Wales, aged 65 years.

## Ayer's

Feed your hair; nourish it; give it something to live on. Then it will stop falling, and will grow long and heavy. Ayer's Hair Vigor is the only

## Hair Vigor

hair food you can buy. For 60 years it has been doing just what we claim it will do. It will not disappoint you.

"My hair used to be very short. But after using Ayer's Hair Vigor a short time it began to grow, and now it is fourteen inches long. This seems a splendid result to me after being almost without any hair."

W. J. J. FREN, Colorado Springs, Colo. \$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass.

## Short Hair

for

Notice for Publication of time

Appointed for proving will

etc.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, County of Amador, State of California. In the matter of the Estate of James L. Barney, deceased.

Pursuant to an order of said Superior Court, made on the second day of August, 1905, notice is hereby given, that Saturday the nineteenth day of August, 1905, at ten o'clock, A. M., of said day, at the Court Room of said court, at Jackson, in the said County of Amador, has been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said James L. Barney, deceased, and for hearing the application of Mary H. Wright for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, August 3, 1905.

C. L. CULBERT, Clerk.

By J. R. HUBERTY, Deputy Clerk.

J. W. CALDWELL, Attorney for Petitioner. au4-3t

## Notice of Assessment.

DEL MONTE MINING AND MILLING COMPANY.

Location of principal place of business, Jackson Amador County, California.

Location of works, Railroad Flat Mining District, Calaveras County, California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT a regular meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1905, an assessment of ten cents (10c) per share was levied upon the subscribed capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States coin to the Secretary of the said company, at his office in the Maelia building on Summit street, in Jackson, Amador county, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 20th day of August, 1905, will be declared delinquent, and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment be made before, will be sold on Monday, 25th day of September, 1905, to pay the delinquent assessment, with the cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of Board of Directors, JAS. J. WRIGHT, Secretary.

Office in the Maelia Building, on Summit street, Jackson, Amador county, California.

Freight hauled from Martell depot and other points at lowest rates.

All parties wanting freight from Martell delivered promptly should have the same addressed in care of A. Piccardo, and send bills of lading care Peter Piccardo, Water St.

se11

Fine Sample Rooms. Commercial Travelers House

Amador Hotel

—S. J. PEARCE, Proprietor—

AMADOR CITY - - - CALIFORNIA.

The most excellently appointed hostelry in Amador County.

—HOT AND COLD BATHS—

A bar in connection supplied with the choicest Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

112 —RATES REASONABLE.—

## Mrs. Daugherty's Narrow Escape.

Mrs. Will Dougherty, of Pitt street, had a miraculous escape from what might have been a death plunge into a ravine 100 feet deep, last Monday morning.

Her two little daughters were visiting at Mrs. Greenwood's, near Middle Bar, and Mrs. Daugherty decided to bring them home Monday. She has always been accustomed to handling horses, and had no hesitancy in taking a new livery horse from Newman's stable, especially when they assured her that it was one of the gentlest in the barn.

Everything seemed to be all right and the horse was behaving beautifully, until about 11 o'clock, just after she had passed the Moore mine, beyond Mrs. Billings' place.

At that point the road is narrow and runs along the edge of a gully from 50 to 100 feet deep. Turning out places, at intervals, are dug into the hillside at the left. Reaching this narrow strip of road, Mrs. Daugherty noticed a horse and buggy approaching from the opposite direction. It was the first she had met. She was horse-woman enough to know that she should turn out to the right, but the road being so narrow, and the horse strange, she decided to turn to the left into one of the widened places and wait for the rig to pass.

As the team approached her horse grew very restless and reared up in the shafts. Mrs. Daugherty sprang from the carriage and took her horse by the bit, an action which undoubtedly saved her life, as the horse began to paw and back. The plucky woman was thrown on her right side in the road, but immediately regained her feet and again caught the bit. The horse continued to back until the buggy was over the bank, and he fell across the narrow edge himself. Mrs. Daugherty still hung on, and by this time was joined by the driver of the other team and a third man who had just arrived on the scene. Together they succeeded in unhitching the frightened animal from the wreck of the buggy, and getting him into the road. A small bush a little distance down the gully was all that saved the buggy from dragging the horse down to sure death.

The shafts were broken and the harness in pieces, but with the aid of ropes the two men succeeded in tying the wreck to the horse, and Mrs. Daugherty pluckily expressed her determination to drive the rig back to town.

While they were hitching up, Ginocchio's delivery wagon drove up in the opposite direction with Mrs. Daugherty's two children aboard.

During the excitement Mrs. Daugherty said she felt no pain, but after it was all over she found she had no use other left arm and hand. She can account for it in no other way than that the horse in rearing, jerked so hard that it sprained the left shoulder. The doctor says that no bones are broken, but that the arm and shoulder are badly wrenched. Mrs. Daugherty wears her arm in a sling and says her right side is black and blue from her fall in the road, and beyond a severe shaking up of her nervous system she feels all right.

In relating the incident, Mrs. Daugherty said it was the first time she ever jumped out of a carriage to handle an unmanageable horse, but congratulates herself on breaking the rule in this instance. The prompt decision not only saved her own but the horse's life as well.

## CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher

## G. W. WELLER

—DEALER IN—

Stoves

Tinware

Hardware

Crockery

Cutlery

Window Glass

Paints

Oils, etc.

Tinning and Plumbing

Main Street

JACKSON . . . . CAL.

my19

## CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher

## NEW

National Hotel

Jackson, Amador county, Cal.

F. A. VOORHEIS, Proprietor

Stage Office for all Points

Lighted by electricity throughout

Commodious Sample Rooms for Commercial Travelers. au18

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Jackson, Cal., August 14, 1905.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: A Meeting of the Board of Education of Amador county, California, will be held in the Superintendent's School Office, at Jackson, on SATURDAY, AUGUST 20th, 1905, for the purpose of preparing and adopting questions for the 1905 Teachers' Examination.

Upon the Monday following the Teachers' Examination will be begun at 9 o'clock a. m., at the Jackson Public School Building, and continued daily thereafter until the examination is completed, the records made and the certificates issued to those entitled thereto.

Respectfully, GEO. A. GORDON, Supt. of Common Schools of Amador Co.

## ANDREW PICCARDO

Freighter and Teamster

Jackson Gate Road.



## TEMPERATURE AND RAINFALL

This table gives the highest and lowest temperature in Jackson for each day, together with the rainfall, as recorded by self-registering instruments kept at the Ledger office:

Date.	Temp. L. H.	Rainfall.	Date.	Temp. L. H.	Rainfall.
Aug. 1 (00)	51 88	0.00	Aug. 17 (05)	52 96	0.00
2	54 88	0.00	18	55 95	0.00
3	56 78	0.00	19	55 95	0.00
4	56 85	0.00	20	55 95	0.00
5	56 85	0.00	21	55 95	0.00
6	56 85	0.00	22	55 95	0.00
7	56 85	0.00	23	55 95	0.00
8	56 85	0.00	24	55 95	0.00
9	56 85	0.00	25	55 95	0.00
10	56 85	0.00	26	55 95	0.00
11	56 85	0.00	27	55 95	0.00
12	56 85	0.00	28	55 95	0.00
13	56 85	0.00	29	55 95	0.00
14	56 85	0.00	30	55 95	0.00
15	56 85	0.00	31	55 95	0.00
16	56 85	0.00			

Total rainfall for season to date... 32.31 inches  
To corresponding period last season 35.36

## LOCAL NEWS

Give us daily some good bread. Pioneer flour makes the best.

Miss Irene Flemming left Tuesday morning to resume her studies in music at San Jose.

Tony Rickett, who has been sick for a long time, left Tuesday morning for San Francisco, where he will undergo treatment at the German hospital.

Geo. Dugdale, who has been for over a week putting in the new machinery at the Ledger office, left Jackson for San Francisco on Wednesday morning. He is an employee of the American Type Founders' Co.

A miner named Pete Ferretti had his leg broken at the Onaida mine early this week. In some manner the skip got away from the clutch, resulting in the misfortune.

You get big bargains at the Jackson Shoe Store for Saturday, one day, we want to help the church, so come along and help us help them.

There are 60 patients in the county hospital. Fifty males and ten females. Fifteen were received last month. The superintendent and matron are taxed to their utmost to look after such a number of indigents. A man named Martineau was brought down last week from the neighborhood of Clinton to be operated upon for rupture. It is a very serious case. He has had severe hemorrhages for nearly a week. John Ryder, who was shot several weeks ago at Ranlett, is getting along nicely and will undoubtedly recover. His wounded leg will be two inches shorter than the other.

Fresh pickled olives of the season just received; 65c per gallon; Nettle's market.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. French returned from Stockton Saturday evening. Mrs. French is very much improved in health, having submitted to a surgical operation for throat trouble, which has worked a decided improvement in her condition. Mr. French, who is suffering from chronic trouble of the liver, was not given much encouragement for a radical cure, and so returned home.

All kinds of harness from \$15 up at Pete Piccard's.

Ernest Tam, the ten year old son of our merchant, Wm. Tam, who has been sick with typhoid fever, is on the road to a rapid recovery.

D. A. Patterson, county recorder, has been confined to his bed for the past week. He is improving, and was able to sit up for an hour or two Wednesday morning.

Dr. Wilson and wife have moved into their new home on Staal street, Hamilton tract. Their furniture from San Francisco has arrived and they are enjoying the making of a new home.

Kedlick's store is closed temporarily, and a force of workmen under contractor Kuhlman are putting in the new iron and plate glass front.

C. D. Kind, inspector for the debris commission, was in Jackson last Sunday.

When you wish the finest flavored coffees and teas, remember that W. J. Nettle keeps only the best.

Church sale at the Jackson Shoe Store Saturday. Don't miss helping the sale along.

Thomas Burrow and family removed to Jackson last Wednesday. He now has charge of the electric machinery at the Argonaut mine in Amador county. All regret the departure of Mr. Burrow and family from San Andreas. He has always been very accommodating to the patrons of the electric power company and is well liked by everyone.—Citizen.

Jacob Dawson and wife of New Hope, San Joaquin county, are visiting relatives in Jackson. Mr. Dawson is a brother of Mrs. G. H. French.

Bert Seymour and wife are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Seymour. Bert is employed as a conductor on a street car line in San Francisco, and is off on a short vacation.

Buy Saturday; you give the church 10 cents on every dollar you spend in our store Saturday. Jackson Shoe Store.

Mr. L. A. Bierce, recently in the employ of Messrs. Whittaker & Ray, in Galt, has taken charge of the dry goods department of the Jackson Shoe Store, and will undoubtedly prove a valuable addition to our business men.

Mrs. Smith, formerly matron of the Jackson hospital and now an inmate of the same institution, was stricken with apoplexy about 8 o'clock Wednesday evening.

J. Mortimer is painting a new delivery wagon for the Amador County Bakery which will be put into commission next Monday. It will be an ornament to our streets.

Nothing will please an invalid as well as a package of those fancy cakes from Nettle's Mkt.

"Hospitality, or the Gospel of the Open Door," will be Rev. Winning's theme at the Methodist Episcopal church next Sunday evening. Usual service in the morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 10 A. M. All are welcome to any or all of these services.

## Additional Locals.

Call and see the immense new stock at Pete Piccard's.

'The Ladies' Aid Society will give a "Lantern festival" on Friday evening Sept. 1st, on the church grounds at the rear of the Methodist church. A delightful time is promised.

Get the weak spots in your old harness patched at Pete Piccard's.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Goard moved into one of the cottages on Broadway belonging to Mrs. Simich.

Chris Marella has been ill for the past week.

E. Fisher has returned from his vacation, which he spent with his family at Mokelumne Hill.

Attorney C. H. Crocker went over to San Andreas Monday, and secured an absolute decree of divorce in the suit of J. H. Moore against his wife. An interlocutory decree was granted a year ago. Both parties are well known in Jackson, having lived here within the past three years. Mrs. Moore was formerly Miss O'Hara, a trained nurse.

Judge Rust went over to San Andreas Monday to act in one or two insanity cases before the superior court of Calaveras, superior judge McSorley being absent on his summer vacation.

The portion of the fixtures of the new postoffice outfit which postmaster Duden has set up in the rear of his office certainly makes a fine appearance. They are of quartered oak and Florentine glass. The letter boxes were shipped from Stamford, Conn., July 29th, so they may be expected to arrive next week. The Jackson postoffice will be next to none in the state, considering the business, as far as equipment and convenience go, when finally completed.

Get your dry goods at the Jackson Shoe Store Saturday; will help the church out, every dollar spent with us gives the church as much as 10 cents on every dollar.

Miss Margaret Leam left for Sacramento last Monday morning for a short visit with relatives there.

Mrs. Payles Clark, niece of Mr. Frank Voorheis, of Jackson, and well acquainted with Jackson people, has just returned from her wedding trip, and is visiting her father in Sutter Creek. Mr. and Mrs. Clark have made an extensive trip, having visited Chicago, New York, Niagara Falls, Boston and Montreal. They will make their home in Oroville.

Miss Kittie Spohn of San Francisco is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Kate Langhorst.

Mrs. Ed. Jay left Jackson this morning for Marysville, to visit her brother.

Sheriff Norman and Supervisor Amick, of Ione, left town yesterday morning for a two weeks' hunting and fishing trip. They will visit Ellis ranch and Blue creek.

Rev. L. Case and family, of Sutter, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Winning last Tuesday. Mrs. Case is an old schoolmate of Mrs. Winning.

Miss Odie Ginocchio is expected home from San Francisco tomorrow. Del Norte and Evans Winning, together with Miss Eunice Goin and her nephew, are expected home from Los Gatos tomorrow.

Mrs. H. Earl and sons arrived in Jackson on the 15th, direct from New York, after an extended trip to the resorts of the Atlantic coast. They are stopping at the Globe. Mr. Earl is at Goldfield, Nevada, where he is interested in the mining business.

## Auction at Amador City.

As will be noticed by an announcement in our business columns, the remaining stock of merchandise belonging to A. Weil, of Amador City, will be sold at public auction, commencing on the premises, next Monday morning, August 21st, at 10 o'clock. The sale will continue for five days, morning, afternoon and evening. The fixtures and safe will also be sold. Emil Cohn, of 1579 Turk street, San Francisco, is the auctioneer.

## DEATH OF MARY SMITH.

Mrs. M. Smith died in the county hospital at about 3 o'clock this morning. She never recovered from the stroke of apoplexy which seized her two days ago, and a short time before her death she was taken with another stroke, which quickly brought on the final scene. Deceased was the widow of H. M. Smith, and with her husband had charge of the county hospital for eight years as superintendent and matron. About a month ago her only daughter, Dora Angove, suicided, and the mother a few days later took up her home in the hospital. She was a native of Wales, aged 65 years. The funeral will take place to-morrow under the direction of W. E. Kent. Deceased has no relatives in this county and leaves no property, having sold her dwelling house a month ago for a few dollars over the mortgage lien upon it.

## Has Stood the Test 25 Years.

The old, original Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. You know what you are taking. It is iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure no pay. 50c.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS.

National.—S. G. Worden, W. A. Jones, H. Karm, F. D. P. Teller, W. S. Reed, H. Pauman, Gny Francis, C. M. Taber, A. Gumpertz, R. Cords, Hal. McNeil, E. L. McLeod, R. L. Girden, E. J. Warnecke, C. W. Hopkins, William Schroeder, E. E. Barnett, W. H. Woods, Chas. Janeri, San Francisco; W. C. King Berkeley; S. S. Miller Fruitdale; B. B. Hanson, G. L. Price, Sacramento; F. W. Buheee, Eureka; H. T. Tucker, Volcano; W. H. Schaffer and son, and W. P. Woodhull, Stockton.

Globe.—Will Cohn, L. F. Varne and wife, John J. Orris, G. E. Rawlins and L. F. Moore, San Francisco; James McBride, E. D. Prevost, Paul Heis and W. H. Wood, Sacramento; William Cresson, Stockton; O. H. Morehouse, Lockwood; F. Wallace, Oakland; Mrs. H. Earl and sons, New York.

## LEVI STRAUSS &amp; CO.



## THE SALVATION ARMY.

Captain Geo. E. Gairney, of Stockton Corp., No. 1, Salvation Army, paid Jackson a visit last Tuesday, and remained until today. He held open air meetings every night during his stay, and goes away impressed with the conviction that he ought to return and establish a Jackson corp, with headquarters in this town, from which he could visit all the towns in the county.

The captain is an enthusiast in army work, having been actively engaged in it for nine years. He has visited nearly every county and town in the state, and says that Jackson offers a ripe field for his labors.

The army is now celebrating its harvest festival, and soliciting aid to carry on its work. The captain claims over 6000 girls were reclaimed last year, and over 90 percent of them have proven that the conversion was the real thing. They have over 70 children's homes throughout the country, where they are educating waifs and strays, and turning them out respectable men and women.

No matter what any one may say or think about the Salvation Army, there is one sure thing, they have never done any harm.

## READING AND SOCIAL CLUB

## Give A Pleasant Party.

The young peoples' Reading and Social Club gave a party last Monday evening at Odd Fellows' hall. This club is rapidly building up its membership—which includes both young men and young women, and is gaining in popular interest. It is the aim to devote a portion of each meeting to literary work, but the party on Monday evening was purely social.

Each member of the club had the privilege of inviting one guest. About thirty of the club were present, and the guests were—Miss Vivian Kent, Miss Inez Eodey, Miss Maud Galtion, Miss Maud Miller, Miss Reid, Miss Wigglesworth, Miss Virginia Gorro, Miss Bertie Lucot, Miss Tessie Tooms, Miss Asbury, and Lorin Phillips, Julius Brasher, Nash Barton, Thubbs Flagg, the Arata and the Livingston brothers.

The company danced until one o'clock. During the evening ice-cream and cake were served.

## SHENANDOAH VALLEY.

Robert Jameson has purchased a new engine for the thresher the old one having become unfit for duty. The new motive power arrived Tuesday, and work was resumed after a few days' lay off.

The grain crops were disappointingly light throughout the valley. The fruit crop is one of the heaviest in years, and the orchardists are drying in large quantity.

J. J. Davis, who has been quite sick of late, has improved sufficiently to be taken to the Walla Walla hot springs in Douglas county, Nevada, this week. Mrs. G. L. Ames, his niece, accompanied him.

Mrs. R. M. Brown and children have gone to Santa Cruz for a visit to relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Crain of Bay State, started last Saturday for a tour of the lakes. Mr. Ball will go on to Walla Walla springs where, it is hoped, he will regain his health, which has been very poor for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Walton have removed to Plymouth, where they intend to make their home. Shan.

The bell of the Greek church is in Garbarini Bros' shop having a yoke attached so that it can be swung instead of tolled as heretofore. It will be hung in the church tower before Sunday. The inscription on the bell is as follows:

"With the blessing of his Eminence, Rt. Rev. Nicholas, Bishop of Alaska and the Aleutian Islands, this bell was cast for the orthodox church of St. Sava, of Jackson, Amador county, Cal., A. D., 1894, Aug. 22nd." The bell was made by W. T. Garratt & Co., San Francisco.

Lemons, oranges, and bananas constantly on hand at Nettle's Mkt.

## AUCTION! AUCTION!

We have received instructions to sell at Public Auction the balance of

**A. WEIL'S STOCK OF MERCHANDISE**

Including SAFE AND STORE FIXTURES, At AMADOR CITY

Commencing MONDAY, Aug. 21st, '05

At 10 a. m., and to continue for Five Days. Sale Morning, Afternoon and Evening.

EMIL COHN, Auctioneer. Office 1579 Turk street, San Francisco.

## AMADOR.

A very pretty wedding took place here last Sunday at the local Catholic church, the uniting couple being Mr. Jack Moubach and Miss Katie Herpiot, the ceremony being conducted by the Rev. Father Dermody of Sutter Creek in presence of a large number of friends. In the evening the couple entertained a large number of guests to supper at the residence of Mr. Vince Arnerich; dancing and merriment was continued until late in the evening.

One of our most popular young ladies, Miss Idel Whitehead left for Oakland Sunday last to attend high school.

Mr. L. Hoxsie, foreman of the Keystone mine, and Mr. V. H. Denson returned from Placerville Sunday last, where they had been spending a few days on business.

Mr. Ralph Bierce of Jackson visited Amador on a short business trip last Wednesday.

Mrs. Richards wife of Mr. T. H. Richards of the Keystone mine, also her son Will, are suffering from an attack of typhoid fever. At present both doing well under the care of a local physician.

Mr. Ernest Spinetti returned to San Francisco Sunday after a few days visit to Amador, during his stay he was the guest of Mrs. A. L. Garibaldi of the Milton ranch at present.

Some talk of a marriage in September next.

At a meeting of the Miners' Union of this place, held Wednesday night, the strike against the Fremont Mining Company was declared off by a unanimous vote. While of late the strike has not little figure, still all business men feel relief that the trouble has thus been brought to an end officially.

During the last week the freighting of this town is being conducted by Mr. McCall, general manager of the Ione and Eastern R. R. Co., who is said to have entered into an arrangement with the Keystone Consolidated Mining Co., and the Keystone Supply Co., for the hauling of all their freight from Martells station. Greenpell.

## OLETA.

Mrs. Claude Wilson met with quite a serious accident last Saturday evening, by falling off the porch, striking her head. She has been confined to bed since.

Mrs. George Yager of Ione is staying with her sister.

Miss Blanch Whaley returned to her home in Berkeley after a month's pleasant visit with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. James Whaley.

Miss Mazie Knapp is staying with friends out of town.

Miss Blanch Lawrence is staying with her aunt Mrs. May Cooper.

William Brown and family went to Grizzly Flat last Friday.

T. K. Norman was a business visitor in town Monday.

Little Katherine Yager severely scalded herself Monday by over-turning a bucket of water. Dr. Norman was called and the little lady is doing nicely.

Miss Ruby Shealar has gone to Ione to attend high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. French were in town Sunday.

Mrs. Julia Vogeli of Sacramento is visiting her sister. Jezebel.

## Three Good and Just Reasons.

There are three reasons why mothers prefer One Minute Cough Cure: First, it is absolutely harmless; Second, it tastes good—children love it; Third, it cures Coughs, Croup and Whooping Cough when other remedies fail. Sold by W. H. Boydston.

## Hospital Report.

The county physician reports affairs at the county hospital for the month ending July 31, as follows:

Admitted—Carroll, Mary aged 57, Maine; Foley, Mathew, aged 71, Kentucky; debility.

James Mason, aged 44, California; phthisis.

Pleming, Mathew, 63, England; phthisis.

Smith, Mrs. Mary, native of Wales, aged 65; debility.

Rider, J. 35, New York, gunshot wound.

Escarola, Clara, 68, Mexico; debility.

Molignoni, G. 50, Italy; malaria.

Pitois, E. S. 62, France, malaria.

Love, May, 25, California; debility.

Ghileno, John, 35, Italy; malaria.

Monotti, Primo, 72, Italy; blind.

Bowzer, Henry, 56, Ohio; phthisis.

Castro, Rosie, 46, Mexico; dropsy.

Holland, Thomas, 61, England; debility.

Discharged.—H. Bowzer, W. Blue, M. Pleming, E. S. Pitois, and John Ghileno.

Died.—D. Guerra, July, of senility. Number of patients August 1st, 58.

## Criminal Returns.

Criminal returns of justices of the peace were filed with the supervisors at their meeting last week as follows:

Township 1—H. Goldner, justice, Jose Gimerio, disturbing the peace, pleaded guilty, paid fine of \$5.

Filippo Al Contaro, disturbing the peace, pleaded guilty, and paid a fine of \$5.

Joan Ariolo, disturbing the peace, fined \$5, paid.

Thomas W. Freeman, assault with deadly weapon with intent to commit murder.

Samuel E. Swearingen appeared on complaint charging him with murder. Clarence Murphy, also charged with a like crime.

John Solari, misdemeanor paid a fine of \$20.

B. Chisa pleaded guilty to misdemeanor, and paid a fine of \$20.

Township 2—Virginia Adams, for selling goods without a license, paid fine of \$5.50.

Township 3—William Stone for malicious mischief in breaking lock and tearing down gates, paid a fine of \$10.

Township 5—Ray Long, for defrauding a hotel keeper, paid a fine of \$10.

## Pleasantly Effective.

Never in the way, no trouble to carry, easy to take, pleasant and never failing results are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These famous little pills are a certain guarantee against headache, biliousness, torpid liver and all of these ills resulting from constipation. They tonic and strengthen the liver. Cure Jaundice. Sold at Boydston drug store.

## LICENSE COLLECTIONS.

The license collector T. K. Norman filed his quarterly report with the supervisors last week, embracing collections for the quarter ending June 30, 1905. From this it appears the revenue derived from this source was as follows:

97 retail liquor	\$1455 00
1 picnic liquor	10 00
23 retail liquor, wayside	172 50
14 wholesale liquor	105 00
11 merchandise, \$7 50	82 50
4 " 5 00	20 00
9 " 3 50	31 50
22 " 2 50	55 00
54 " 1 50	81 00
3 wagon peddlers	60 00
13 pack peddlers	45 50
3 banker, broker, etc.	30 00
3 caravan etc.	15 00
2 theater	20 00
5 muscle tests	10 00
6 propagation	90 00
1 merry-go-round	50 00
4 telephone	20 00
4 halls, etc.	20 00
3 water	75 00
2 gas, electricity	100 00
1 gas, electricity	5 00
2 shooting gallery	50 00
1 hawk	20 00
14 hawkers	70 00

Total - \$2723 00  
Commissions - 272 30

Amount paid treasurer - \$2450 70

## Died at Napa Asylum.

Julius F. Froelich died in the Napa asylum on Monday evening last. He was committed to that institution from Amador county on the first of March last. For several years prior to he had been mentally unbalanced, and the increasing care necessary to keep track of his movements on the part of his relatives became burdensome beyond their powers of endurance.

Hence he was examined and committed for insanity. While his mental powers were in ruins, and had been for several years prior to his commitment, his physical strength was fairly well sustained, except that a malignant tumor of a cancerous nature appeared on his tongue. Following his commitment the disease developed rapidly to a fatal termination. His relatives at Martells were notified of his demise, and the body was brought to Jackson Wednesday, and the interment took place yesterday, in the protestant cemetery, Rev. C. E. Winning officiating. Deceased was born in Amador county in 1855. He leaves two brothers, William and C. E. Froelich, and one sister, Mrs. K. M. Krell; also an aged mother.

## NOTICE.

All parties desiring their freight shipped to any station on the Ione and Eastern Railroad must send written orders to M. W. Gordon, agent of S. P. R. R. Co. at Ione, to have their freight transferred to the Ione and Eastern R. R.

## A JACKSON GIRL.

To Win Honors For Herself.

Miss Anna Strohm, daughter of supervisor John Strohm, is one of Jackson's young women to seek the broader culture offered to women of this day. She has just been enrolled at Mills College, where she expects to take up the music and literary course. Miss Strohm is an ambitious student, and will no doubt make Jackson proud to claim her as one of its daughters.

## Dangerous and Uncertain.

For sunburn, tetter and all skin and scalp diseases, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has no equal.



**900 DROPS**

# CASTORIA

**For Infants and Children.**

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

**In Use For Over Thirty Years**

# CASTORIA

THE CENTURY COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

**Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomach and Bowels of INFANTS & CHILDREN**

Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. **NOT NARCOTIC.**

*Recipe of Old Dr. SAMUEL PITCHER*

Pumpkin Seed—  
Aloe Sarsaparilla—  
Rhubarb—  
Sulphur—  
Ginger—  
Cinnamon—  
Mint—  
Licorice—  
Malt—  
Sugar—  
Water—

Perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP.

Fac-Simile Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

**NEW YORK.**

At 6 months old  
**35 DROPS—35 CENTS**

EXACT COPY OF WRAPPER.

## PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK

OF SACRAMENTO.

Corner Fourth and J Sts.

Paid depositors for the year 1904-5, 4 percent on TERM DEPOSITS, 3 percent on ORDINARY DEPOSITS.

Accepts deposits in sums from ONE DOLLAR and upward.

Guaranteed Capital.....\$410,000  
Paid Up Capital and Reserve.....350,500  
Assets.....1,845,500

Send Draft, P. O. Order, or Wells-Fargo Order and we will send pass book.

Money to Loan on Real Estate.

WM. BECKMAN, PRES.

Geo. W. Lorenz, Cashier.

**BANK OF AMADOR COUNTY**

Incorporated November, 1895

Capital Stock : : : \$50,000

President.....Alfonse Ginochio  
Vice-President.....S. G. Spagnoli  
Secretary and Cashier.....Frederick Eudey

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:  
Alfonse Ginochio, S. G. Spagnoli, John Strohm,  
Frederick Eudey and Alex Eudey of Jackson.

**SAFE DEPOSIT**—Safe deposit boxes can be rented from the Bank of Amador County at the small expense of 35 cents a month, thereby securing you against any possible loss from fire or otherwise. Don't overlook this opportunity of protecting your valuables.

**SAVE MONEY**—Patronize a home institution. Send money away through the Bank of Amador County; you will save 10 per cent and upward over postoffice or express. Money sent to all parts of the United States and also all parts of the world. We have the latest quotations on foreign exchange.

**SAVE MONEY**—It doesn't cost anything to deposit money in the Bank of Amador County. They receive deposits from \$5 up. Commence the new year by opening up a bank account. A man or woman with a bank account has a financial standing. Don't bury your money; when you die it can't be found and you are liable to be robbed while alive.

## Globe Hotel

NEW MANAGEMENT.

MRS. ANNIE HURST.....Prop'r

RATES FROM \$1 TO \$2 A DAY

Meals from 25c to 50c.

Sample Rooms for Commercial Travelers.

All Stages stop at this hotel.

JACKSON.....CAL.

J. GHIGLIERI & BRO.

Cosmopolitan Liquor Store

JACKSON GATE, CAL.

Dealers and Jobbers in foreign and domestic

WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS

SELECTED stock of Imported Goods. Choice California Wines, popular brands. Eastern and Domestic Beers; special bottling.

Havana, Key West and New York Cigars.

Bourbon, Rye, Sweet and Sour Mash Whiskies of celebrated distilleries.

**VANDERPOOL**

**THE HARNESS MAKER**

Plymouth, Cal.

Can Make or Repair your HARNESS in an up-to-date workmanlike manner.

He carries all kind of Harness and supplies in the line. Also, Buggies, Carriages & Carts Carriage Trimming a specialty. ja22

**Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic**

has stood the test 25 years. Average Annual Sales over One and a Half Million bottles. Does this record of merit appeal to you? No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

Enclosed with every bottle is a Ten Cent package of Grove's Black Root Liver Pills.

**RICHARD WEBB**

United States Commissioner

JACKSON, CAL.

Will attend to Homestead and other filings; taking of final proofs and all other Land Business.

Deeds and other legal documents drawn up. Agent for Phoenix Assurance Company of London, and Washington Providence Fire Insurance Companies. j02217

## PICKINGS from the DUMP

By the Tenderfoot

Our type-setting machine made an error last week, it slipped a cog and made me say that Columbus discovered America in 1420, when every school boy knows it was 1492. Of course, 72 years isn't much when you're looking backward and talking about centuries, but if we are looking ahead, it would mean a life time.

That's one drawback to setting type by machinery. We've been trying to find some fault with it, and at last have found it—it has made Columbus discover America before he was born. I think we'll have to send it back to the factory and return to the case and stick.

The little slip has proven one thing, however, and that is that the Ledger is read and the dump picked over, for the Tenderfoot has received no less than 38 letters calling his attention to the error. That's certainly worth something.

Now, just to test the machine, I am going to spring a few more dates on you and see how many cogs the machine will slip. If there is an error, drop a line, and we'll keep tabs.

The original Pyramid of Egypt was built 2170 years before Christ. Think of that for half a minute. That same Pyramid has stood there over 4075 years, and is standing today, only a trifle shell-worn in appearance, too. They don't build such structures nowadays. I'll bet that if any boy lives to see 5080 he won't see the Platon building standing in New York.

1111 years before the Christian era the compass was discovered, and up to that time, I presume sailors had to take their bearings from a high tree or the north star, but it is possible they had not discovered the north star at that time.

Water clocks were used 155, B. C., but Waterbury watches were not manufactured until a few years later, though it is said, on good authority, that the inventor commenced to wind them somewhere about the birth of time.

Money was first coined in Rome 576, B. C., and statisticians claim that John D. Rockefeller was just old enough to creep and picked up the first piece as it fell from the crucible or mould, and it is still on exhibition at his home in Cleveland, though he has placed most of the output since in safe deposit vaults and stocks.

The Masons dedicated Solomon's Temple in Jerusalem, in 1028, B. C.

The first newspaper printed in America was issued in Boston in 1690, and 16 years later Benjamin Franklin was born, and established the Saturday Evening Post, in Philadelphia in 1728, which is published today, and served to customers in Jackson every Saturday afternoon by Del Norte Winning, at 5 cents per copy.

The last half of the eighteenth century was a record-breaker, as far as wonderful events and remarkable happenings are concerned. It was certainly a history-making epoch second to none in the world's chronology. Note a few of the events:

1759—Canada was taken from the French.

1769—Napoleon was born.

1773—Steam engine perfected by Watt.

1773—Tea destroyed in Boston harbor 1776—Fourth of July born.

1777—"Old Glory" born June 14th.

1788—"First settlement in Australia."

1789—Washington inaugurated President.

1789—French Revolution began.

1793—Cotton gin invented by Whitney.

1796—Vaccination discovered by Jenner.

1799—Death of Washington.

Isn't that a bunch to crowd into 50 years?

I can't account for my being so reminiscent today, unless it is that I was called upon this morning by an agent who attempted to sell a history of the United States to me. I didn't subscribe for it, however, not because I didn't want it, but I expect soon to be able to drop into the Jackson public library and read the best histories published of every country.

I wonder if it is possible that Jackson doesn't care for a public library? Surely it is not because it is difficult to obtain, nor that it is going to be expensive, for the state library association of Sacramento has offered to supply the books, and is ready to ship them on any time that we will guarantee to receive them, place them in a protected room and take proper care of them. Nothing the matter with that offer. And think of the benefits and pleasure derived:

No charge for drawing a book and keeping it until read.

All the new books at your disposal, absolutely free.

A comfortable, light, and cheerful reading room, where any man, woman or child can spend all the time they care to, day or night, when the library is open, and look over the books, magazines and papers.

The state offers to furnish the books, and the Ledger stands ready to furnish the room, nothing is asked of the citizens excepting to care for the same, and supply a librarian.

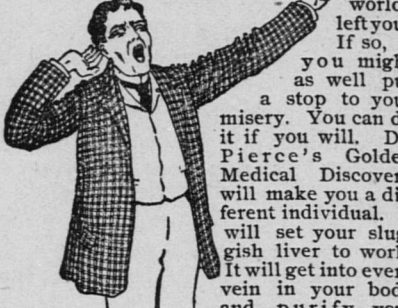
It doesn't seem possible that Jackson will permit such an opportunity to slip by.

**Opportunity.**

You think that an opportunity must necessarily be something great and unusual, but the fact is the stepping stone to the place above you in the way you do it. It does not matter what it is.—Success Magazine.

## DO YOU FEEL THIS WAY.

Do you feel all tired out? Do you sometimes think you just can't work away at your profession or trade any longer? Do you have a poor appetite, and lay awake at nights unable to sleep? Are your nerves all gone, and your stomach too? Has ambition to force ahead in the world left you?



If so, you might as well put a stop to your misery. You can do it if you will. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will make you a different individual. It will set your sluggish liver to work, it will get into every vein in your body and purify your blood. It will set right in your stomach, and your appetite will come back. If there is any tendency in your family toward consumption, it will keep that dread destroyer away. Even after consumption has almost gained a foothold in the form of a lingering cough, bronchitis, or bleeding at the lungs, it will bring about speedy cure in 98 percent of all cases. It is a remedy prepared by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., whose address is given on the wrapper. His great success has come from his wide experience and varied practice. O. S. Copenhaver, Esq., of Mount Union, Huntington Co., Pa., (Box 221) writes: "About twelve years ago I was suddenly taken with a pain in the pit of my stomach which was so violent I could not walk straight. It would grow more severe until it caused waterbrash and vomiting of a slimy yellow water. A physician told me I had a form of dyspepsia and treated me for about six months with but little benefit. Another physician told me my liver was out of order and that I had indigestion. He gave me a treatment and I got some better but only for a short time. I then tried another one, who said I had chronic indigestion, alteration of the lining of the stomach, torpid liver and kidney affection. He treated me for more than a year and I felt much better, but it did not last. I then took to using several widely advertised patent medicines, but received no more than temporary relief. I then tried Dr. Pierce's medicines, using his 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and the 'Pleasant Pellets,' and in two months time I was feeling better than I had for years before."

Don't be wheedled by a penny-grabbing dealer into taking inferior substitutes for Dr. Pierce's medicines, recommended to be "just as good."

**RUSSIAN WOMEN.**

The Many Restrictions to Which They Are Now Subjected.

It is difficult for an American to understand that freedom as we know it does not exist in Russia. There the legal position of woman is far from satisfactory. She hardly ever belongs to herself, but is always under the tutelage of some one.

As a daughter the Russian woman is under the entire control of her parents. Her coming of age does not alter her position. She simply changes the authority of her parents for the no less rigid authority of her husband. As the Russian statute puts it: "One person cannot reasonably be expected to fully satisfy two such unlimited powers as that of husband and parent."

The unlimited power of the parent is withdrawn and that of the husband substituted. She cannot leave her lord even to visit a neighboring town without a "pass" from him. He names the time she is permitted to stay, and at the end of that time she is bound to return to get the pass renewed.

A husband may appear in a court of law as a witness, but his wife cannot be a witness in any case. A wife is not allowed to appear against her husband. A woman's evidence in Russia is always regarded as of less weight than that of a man.—Harper's Weekly.

**DEFY HARD LUCK.**

A Few Bits of Wholesome Advice For the Pessimists.

Don't talk about your hard luck.

Refuse to recognize it. Refuse to believe in it. Soon to what about it.

Get the whine out of your voice, or it will stop the development and growth of your body. It will narrow and shrink your mind. It will drive away your friends. It will make you unpopular. Quit your whining; brace up; go to work; be something; stand for something; fill your place in the universe.

Instead of whining around, exciting only pity and contempt, face about and make something of yourself. Reach up to the stature of a strong, ennobling womanhood, to the beauty and strength of a superb womanhood. There is nothing the matter with you. Just quit your whining and go to work.

If you continually talk about your bad luck and moan about your ill fortune, you create for yourself an atmosphere of misfortune which will certainly overwhelm you unless you stop in time.

The man or woman who persistently fears that such and such a thing is not going to turn out well is enlisting powerful forces against success.—Boston Traveler.

**English and French Police.**

No comparison can fairly be made between the police of London and Paris without due consideration of the fact that the French law admits an interference with the liberty of the subject which would not be tolerated in Great Britain. And it must also be remembered that the existence of octroi duties makes it difficult for a Frenchman to enter or quit Paris without being the subject of closer observation than he would encounter in an English city.—Solicitors' Journal.

**Pay as You Go.**

To live within one's income is the secret of prosperity. Happiness is the heritage of the one who adheres to this rule, and a contented mind and an ever increasing bank account will belong to the one who buys only what he can pay for.

**Very Good.**

"Miss Hunter is really engaged to Miss Roxley."

"So he was telling me. He says she's not very pretty, but she's good."

"Yes, good for a million in her own right."—Philadelphia Press.

**Chivalry at a Discount.**

He—There was a run on the bank, was there? You were fortunate to get your money out. She—Yes; but I never saw such discourtesy. There wasn't a man offered me his place on the line.—New York Times.

**Willing to Exchange.**

Aunt Henty—The doctor's got to take your temperature. Uncle Josh—Well, I hope he'll leave me a more healthy one in his place.

## HAIR VEGETABLE SICILIAN Hair Renewer

Perhaps you like your gray hair; then keep it. Perhaps not; then remember—Hall's Hair Renewer always restores color to gray hair. Stops falling hair, also.

Made From SELECTED WHEAT Blended According to Our Own Formula Producing Perfect Results and Bread Divinely Fair and Feathery Light Sweet to the Palate's Touch and Snowy White

PIONEER FLOUR MILLS, SACRAMENTO

## PIONEER FLOUR IS PERFECTION

Made From SELECTED WHEAT Blended According to Our Own Formula Producing Perfect Results and Bread Divinely Fair and Feathery Light Sweet to the Palate's Touch and Snowy White

PIONEER FLOUR MILLS, SACRAMENTO

FINE ASSORTMENT OF TEA AND COFFEE

WM. J. NETTLE

Central Market

Fancy Groceries, Fresh Fruits, Vegetables, Fresh Fish

Every Thursday and Friday

North Main Street, Jackson, Cal.

G. K. WENDLING, President

M. CROSS, Vice President, H. NATHAN, Secretary & Treas.

Rooms: 603-604-605-606-607

Claus Spreckels Bld'g SAN FRANCISCO.

Telephone: Private Exchange 279

USE LUMBERMAN'S CODE AND TELECODE LONG AND LARGE TIMBERS A SPECIALTY

Rooms: 603-604-605-606-607

Claus Spreckels Bld'g SAN FRANCISCO.

Telephone: Private Exchange 279

USE LUMBERMAN'S CODE AND TELECODE LONG AND LARGE TIMBERS A SPECIALTY

Rooms: 603-604-605-606-607

Claus Spreckels Bld'g SAN FRANCISCO.

Telephone: Private Exchange 279

USE LUMBERMAN'S CODE AND TELECODE LONG AND LARGE TIMBERS A SPECIALTY

Rooms: 603-604-605-606-607

Claus Spreckels Bld'g SAN FRANCISCO.

Telephone: Private Exchange 279

USE LUMBERMAN'S CODE AND TELECODE LONG AND LARGE TIMBERS A SPECIALTY

Rooms: 603-604-605-606-607

Claus Spreckels Bld'g SAN FRANCISCO.

Telephone: Private Exchange 279

USE LUMBERMAN'S CODE AND TELECODE LONG AND LARGE TIMBERS A SPECIALTY

Rooms: 603-604-605-606-607

Claus Spreckels Bld'g SAN FRANCISCO.

Telephone: Private Exchange 279

USE LUMBERMAN'S CODE AND TELECODE LONG AND LARGE TIMBERS A SPECIALTY

Rooms: 603-604-605-606-607

Claus Spreckels Bld'g SAN FRANCISCO.

Telephone: Private Exchange 279

USE LUMBERMAN'S CODE AND TELECODE LONG AND LARGE TIMBERS A SPECIALTY

Rooms: 603-604-605-606-607

Claus Spreckels Bld'g SAN FRANCISCO.

Telephone: Private Exchange 279

USE LUMBERMAN'S CODE AND TELECODE LONG AND LARGE TIMBERS A SPECIALTY

Rooms: 603-604-605-606-607

Claus Spreckels Bld'g SAN FRANCISCO.

Telephone: Private Exchange 279

USE LUMBERMAN'S CODE AND TELECODE LONG AND LARGE TIMBERS A SPECIALTY

Rooms: 603-604-605-606-607

Claus Spreckels Bld'g SAN FRANCISCO.

Telephone: Private Exchange 279

USE LUMBERMAN'S CODE AND TELECODE LONG AND LARGE TIMBERS A SPECIALTY

Rooms: 603-604-605-606-607

Claus Spreckels Bld'g SAN FRANCISCO.

Telephone: Private Exchange 279

USE LUMBERMAN'S CODE AND TELECODE LONG AND LARGE TIMBERS A SPECIALTY

Rooms: 603-604-605-606-607

Claus Spreckels Bld'g SAN FRANCISCO.

Telephone: Private Exchange 279

USE LUMBERMAN'S CODE AND TELECODE LONG AND LARGE TIMBERS A SPECIALTY

Rooms: 603-604-605-606-607

Claus Spreckels Bld'g SAN FRANCISCO.

Telephone: Private Exchange 279

USE LUMBERMAN'S CODE AND TELECODE LONG AND LARGE TIMBERS A SPECIALTY

Rooms: 603-604-605-606-607

Claus Spreckels Bld'g SAN FRANCISCO.

Telephone: Private Exchange 279

USE LUMBERMAN'S CODE AND TELECODE LONG AND LARGE TIMBERS A SPECIALTY

Rooms: 603-604-605-606-607

Claus Spreckels Bld'g SAN FRANCISCO.

Telephone: Private Exchange 279

USE LUMBERMAN'S CODE AND TELECODE LONG AND LARGE TIMBERS A SPECIALTY

Rooms: 603-604-605-606-607

Claus Spreckels Bld'g SAN FRANCISCO.

## LEDGER VOTING CONTEST

FOR

FREE

Scholarships

FOR THE

STOCKTON

BUSINESS COLLEGE

There are deserving and ambitious young men and women who desire to take a commercial business course in some reputable educational institution such as the

STOCKTON BUSINESS COLLEGE

The cost of such a course sometimes stands in the way. The Ledger has made arrangements to furnish free two scholarships in the following manner:

To the candidate receiving the highest number of votes will be given scholarship No. 171, which entitles the holder to instruction in any course for a term not to exceed six months, together with the sum of \$100 in cash for the expense of board lodging, etc., the total value of which is \$105.

To the candidate receiving the next highest vote certificate No 172, will be awarded and this will entitle the holder to instruction in any course for a term not to exceed six months—value, \$65.00.

The votes will be recorded weekly and the state of poll published in these columns.